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	ap #02490 Lloyd Allen & Roy Kyle	e Allen SUPERVISORY DISTRICT #	<u>#4</u>
LOCATION: 6196 Lack	Rd.,	APN: <u>020-150-016-000</u>	_
Brawley, C	PAI	RCEL SIZE:+/- 298 acres	
GENERAL PLAN (existing)	Agriculture	GENERAL PLAN (proposed)N/A	
ZONE (existing)	A-3 (Heavy Agriculture	ZONE (proposed) N	<u> /A</u>
GENERAL PLAN FINDINGS	CONSISTENT	☐ INCONSISTENT ☐ MAY BE/FINDI	NGS
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		INITIAL STUDY: 20-0025	
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REQUESTED ACTION:

(See Attached)

□ NEGATIVE DECLARATION□ MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Initial Study & Environmental Analysis For:

Initial Study #20-0025 for Parcel Map #02490 Timothy Lloyd Allen & Roy Kyle Allen



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SECTION 1 INTRODUCTION

A. PURPOSE

This document is a \square policy-level, \boxtimes project level Initial Study for evaluation of potential environmental imp	acts
resulting with the proposed Parcel Map (Refer to Exhibit "A" & "B").	

B. CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) REQUIREMENTS AND THE IMPERIAL COUNTY'S GUIDELINES FOR IMPLEMENTING CEQA

As defined by Section 15063 of the State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines and Section 7 of the County's "CEQA Regulations Guidelines for the Implementation of CEQA, as amended", an **Initial Study** is prepared primarily to provide the Lead Agency with information to use as the basis for determining whether an Environmental Impact Report (EIR), Negative Declaration, or Mitigated Negative Declaration would be appropriate for providing the necessary environmental documentation and clearance for any proposed project.

According to Section 1	5065, an EIR is deemed	l appropriate for a particula	ar proposal if the followin	g conditions
occur:				

- The proposal has the potential to substantially degrade quality of the environment.
- The proposal has the potential to achieve short-term environmental goals to the disadvantage of long-term environmental goals.
- The proposal has possible environmental effects that are individually limited but cumulatively considerable.
- The proposal could cause direct or indirect adverse effects on human beings.

Accordin	ig to Section	15070(a), a N	legative Deci	aration is deeme	d appropriate if	the proposal \	would not r	esult
in any si	gnificant effe	ct on the envi	ronment.					

☐ According to Se	ection 15070(b), a Miti g	gated Negative De	eclaration is	deemed app	ropriate if it i	is determined
that though a p	roposal could result in	a significant effect	, mitigation m	neasures are	available to	reduce these
significant effec	ts to insignificant levels		_			

This Initial Study has determined that the proposed applications will not result in any potentially significant environmental impacts and therefore, a Negative Declaration is deemed as the appropriate document to provide necessary environmental evaluations and clearance as identified hereinafter.

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration are prepared in conformance with the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended (Public Resources Code, Section 21000 et. seq.); Section 15070 of the State & County of Imperial's Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000, et. seq.); applicable requirements of the County of Imperial; and the regulations, requirements, and procedures of any other responsible public agency or an agency with jurisdiction by law.

Pursuant to the County of Imperial <u>Guidelines for Implementing CEQA</u>, depending on the project scope, the County of Imperial Board of Supervisors, Planning Commission and/or Planning Director is designated the Lead Agency, in accordance with Section 15050 of the CEQA Guidelines. The Lead Agency is the public agency which has the

principal responsibility for approving the necessary environmental clearances and analyses for any project in the County.

C. INTENDED USES OF INITIAL STUDY AND NEGATIVE DECLARATION

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration are informational documents which are intended to inform County of Imperial decision makers, other responsible or interested agencies, and the general public of potential environmental effects of the proposed applications. The environmental review process has been established to enable public agencies to evaluate environmental consequences and to examine and implement methods of eliminating or reducing any potentially adverse impacts. While CEQA requires that consideration be given to avoiding environmental damage, the Lead Agency and other responsible public agencies must balance adverse environmental effects against other public objectives, including economic and social goals.

The Initial Study and Negative Declaration, prepared for the project will be circulated for a period of 20 days (30-days if submitted to the State Clearinghouse for a project of area-wide significance) for public and agency review and comments. At the conclusion, if comments are received, the County Planning & Development Services Department will prepare a document entitled "Responses to Comments" which will be forwarded to any commenting entity and be made part of the record within 10-days of any project consideration.

D. CONTENTS OF INITIAL STUDY & NEGATIVE DECLARATION

This Initial Study is organized to facilitate a basic understanding of the existing setting and environmental implications of the proposed applications.

SECTION 1

I. INTRODUCTION presents an introduction to the entire report. This section discusses the environmental process, scope of environmental review, and incorporation by reference documents.

SECTION 2

II. ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST FORM contains the County's Environmental Checklist Form. The checklist form presents results of the environmental evaluation for the proposed applications and those issue areas that would have either a significant impact, potentially significant impact, or no impact.

PROJECT SUMMARY, LOCATION AND EVIRONMENTAL SETTINGS describes the proposed project entitlements and required applications. A description of discretionary approvals and permits required for project implementation is also included. It also identifies the location of the project and a general description of the surrounding environmental settings.

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS evaluates each response provided in the environmental checklist form. Each response checked in the checklist form is discussed and supported with sufficient data and analysis as necessary. As appropriate, each response discussion describes and identifies specific impacts anticipated with project implementation.

SECTION 3

- **III. MANDATORY FINDINGS** presents Mandatory Findings of Significance in accordance with Section 15065 of the CEQA Guidelines.
- IV. PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS CONSULTED identifies those persons consulted and involved in preparation of this Initial Study and Negative Declaration.

- V. REFERENCES lists bibliographical materials used in preparation of this document.
- VI. NEGATIVE DECLARATION COUNTY OF IMPERIAL
- VII. FINDINGS

SECTION 4

VIII. RESPONSE TO COMMENTS (IF ANY)

IX. MITIGATION MONITORING & REPORTING PROGRAM (MMRP) (IF ANY)

E. SCOPE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

For evaluation of environmental impacts, each question from the Environmental Checklist Form is summarized and responses are provided according to the analysis undertaken as part of the Initial Study. Impacts and effects will be evaluated and quantified, when appropriate. To each question, there are four possible responses, including:

- 1. **No Impact:** A "No Impact" response is adequately supported if the impact simply does not apply to the proposed applications.
- 2. **Less Than Significant Impact:** The proposed applications will have the potential to impact the environment. These impacts, however, will be less than significant; no additional analysis is required.
- 3. Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated: This applies where incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact".
- 4. **Potentially Significant Impact:** The proposed applications could have impacts that are considered significant. Additional analyses and possibly an EIR could be required to identify mitigation measures that could reduce these impacts to less than significant levels.

F. POLICY-LEVEL or PROJECT LEVEL ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration will be conducted under a \square policy-level, \bowtie project level analysis. Regarding mitigation measures, it is not the intent of this document to "overlap" or restate conditions of approval that are commonly established for future known projects or the proposed applications. Additionally, those other standard requirements and regulations that any development must comply with, that are outside the County's jurisdiction, are also not considered mitigation measures and therefore, will not be identified in this document.

G. TIERED DOCUMENTS AND INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

Information, findings, and conclusions contained in this document are based on incorporation by reference of tiered documentation, which are discussed in the following section.

1. Tiered Documents

As permitted in Section 15152(a) of the CEQA Guidelines, information and discussions from other documents can be included into this document. Tiering is defined as follows:

"Tiering refers to using the analysis of general matters contained in a broader EIR (such as the one prepared for a general plan or policy statement) with later EIRs and negative declarations on narrower projects;

incorporating by reference the general discussions from the broader EIR; and concentrating the later EIR or negative declaration solely on the issues specific to the later project."

Tiering also allows this document to comply with Section 15152(b) of the CEQA Guidelines, which discourages redundant analyses, as follows:

"Agencies are encouraged to tier the environmental analyses which they prepare for separate but related projects including the general plans, zoning changes, and development projects. This approach can eliminate repetitive discussion of the same issues and focus the later EIR or negative declaration on the actual issues ripe for decision at each level of environmental review. Tiering is appropriate when the sequence of analysis is from an EIR prepared for a general plan, policy or program to an EIR or negative declaration for another plan, policy, or program of lesser scope, or to a site-specific EIR or negative declaration."

Further, Section 15152(d) of the CEQA Guidelines states:

"Where an EIR has been prepared and certified for a program, plan, policy, or ordinance consistent with the requirements of this section, any lead agency for a later project pursuant to or consistent with the program, plan, policy, or ordinance should limit the EIR or negative declaration on the later project to effects which:

- (1) Were not examined as significant effects on the environment in the prior EIR; or
- (2) Are susceptible to substantial reduction or avoidance by the choice of specific revisions in the project, by the imposition of conditions, or other means."

2. Incorporation By Reference

Incorporation by reference is a procedure for reducing the size of EIRs/MND and is most appropriate for including long, descriptive, or technical materials that provide general background information, but do not contribute directly to the specific analysis of the project itself. This procedure is particularly useful when an EIR or Negative Declaration relies on a broadly-drafted EIR for its evaluation of cumulative impacts of related projects (*Las Virgenes Homeowners Federation v. County of Los Angeles* [1986, 177 Ca.3d 300]). If an EIR or Negative Declaration relies on information from a supporting study that is available to the public, the EIR or Negative Declaration cannot be deemed unsupported by evidence or analysis (*San Francisco Ecology Center v. City and County of San Francisco* [1975, 48 Ca.3d 584, 595]). This document incorporates by reference appropriate information from the "Final Environmental Impact Report and Environmental Assessment for the "County of Imperial General Plan EIR" prepared by Brian F. Mooney Associates in 1993 and updates.

When an EIR or Negative Declaration incorporates a document by reference, the incorporation must comply with Section 15150 of the CEQA Guidelines as follows:

- The incorporated document must be available to the public or be a matter of public record (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[a]). The General Plan EIR and updates are available, along with this document, at the County of Imperial Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243 Ph. (442) 265-1736.
- This document must be available for inspection by the public at an office of the lead agency (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[b]). These documents are available at the County of Imperial Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243 Ph. (442) 265-1736.
- These documents must summarize the portion of the document being incorporated by reference or briefly describe information that cannot be summarized. Furthermore, these documents must describe the

relationship between the incorporated information and the analysis in the tiered documents (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[c]). As discussed above, the tiered EIRs address the entire project site and provide background and inventory information and data which apply to the project site. Incorporated information and/or data will be cited in the appropriate sections.

- These documents must include the State identification number of the incorporated documents (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[d]). The State Clearinghouse Number for the County of Imperial General Plan EIR is SCH #93011023.
- The material to be incorporated in this document will include general background information (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[f]). This has been previously discussed in this document.

II. Environmental Checklist

1. Project Title: Parcel Map #02490

2. Lead Agency: Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department

3. Contact person and phone number: Mariela Moran, Planner II, (442)265-1736, ext. 1747

4. Address: 801 Main Street, El Centro CA, 92243

5. **E-mail**: marielamoran@co.imperial.ca.us

6. Project location: 6196 Lack Rd., Calipatria CA 92233

7. Project sponsor's name and address: Timothy L. Allen & Roy K. Allen

P.O. Box 772 Calipatria CA 92233

8. General Plan designation: Agriculture

9. Zoning: A-3 (Heavy Agricultural)

10. **Description of project**: Applicant is proposing to separate two existing deliveries and two existing fields into two separate legal parcels for family legal trust issues. Parcel 1 would be +/- 143 acres and parcel 2 would be +/- 155 acres, for a project's total of +/- 298 acres.

The proposed Parcel 1 would have legal and physical access from Lack Road. Proposed Parcel 2 would have legal and physical access from Lack Road through an easement across the North 20.00 feet of proposed Parcel 1 shown on the tentative Map. Proposed Parcel 1 would continue to receive water from the O'brien Lateral Delivery 958 and will continue to drain west to the Thompson Drain. Proposed Parcel 2 would continue to drain north to the Vail Drain. Both parcels would continue to be farmed in agriculture.

- 11. **Surrounding land uses and setting**: The project is located North of the New River and East of Lack Rd., the proposed project parcel agricultural lands are devoted to agriculture, surrounding parcels uses are agricultural as well. The City of Calipatria is located approximately 6 miles to the East of the proposed project site.
- 12. Other public agencies whose approval is required (e.g., permits, financing approval, or participation agreement.): Planning Commission.
- 13. Have California Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with the project area requested consultation pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1? If so, is there a plan for consultation that includes, for example, the determination of significance of impacts to tribal cultural resources, procedures regarding confidentially, etc.?

The Quechan Indian Tribe have requested to be consulted under Assembly Bill 52. Consultation letter was sent on October 16, 2020 and an email from the Quechan Indian Tribe Historic Preservation Officer received on October 27, 2020 stated that they did not have comments on this project.

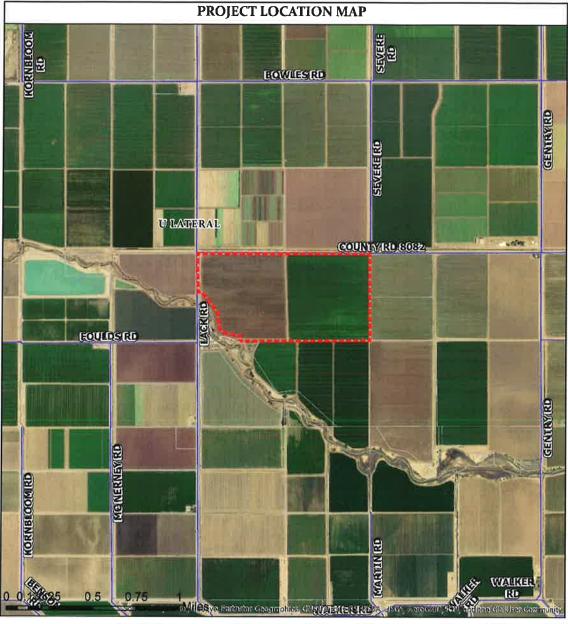
ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:

	Aesthetics		Agriculture and Fore	stry Resources		Air Quality	
	Biological Resources		Cultural Resources			Energy	
	Geology /Soils		Greenhouse Gas Em	issions		Hazards & Hazardous	Materials
	Hydrology / Water Quality		Land Use / Planning			Mineral Resources	
	Noise		Population / Housing			Public Services	
	Recreation		Transportation			Tribal Cultural Resour	ces
	Utilities/Service Systems		Wildfire			Mandatory Findings of	Significance
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PROJECT SUMMARY

- **A. Project Location**: The project is located at 6196 Lack Rd., Calipatria CA; Assessor's Parcel Number 020-150-016-000.
- **B.** Project Summary: Applicant is proposing to separate two existing deliveries and two existing fields into two separate legal parcels for family legal trust issues. Parcel 1 would be +/- 143 acres and parcel 2 would be +/- 155 acres, for a project's total of +/- 298 acres. The existing agricultural farming use is proposed to remain.
- **C.** Environmental Setting: The proposed project parcel is generally flat and it is located near the New River, the current use is agricultural. The surrounding parcel uses are agricultural and are farmed. The Salton Sea is located approximately 2.5 miles to the West of the proposed project.
- D. Analysis: Under the Land Use Element of the Imperial County General Plan, the project site is designated as "Agriculture". It is classified as A-3 (Heavy Agriculture) under the Imperial County Land Use Ordinance (Title 9). Pursuant to the Land Use Element of the General Plan, agriculture area is characterized by lands for agricultural production and related industries. An Initial Study #20-0025 will analyze any impacts related with the proposed project.
- **E. General Plan Consistency**: Under the Land Use Element of the Imperial County General Plan, the project site is designated as "Agriculture." The proposed project could be considered consistent with the General Plan since no change is being proposed to the existing agricultural use. Additionally, the proposed parcel areas are above 40 acres gross, the minimum are per Imperial County Land Use Ordinance Section 90509.04.

Exhibit "A" Vicinity Map



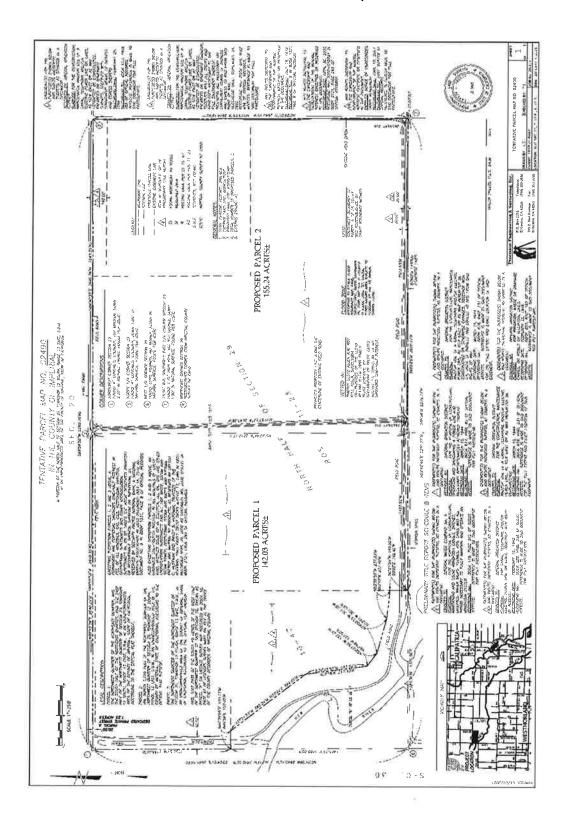


TIMOTHY LLOYD & ROY KYLE ALLEN 6196 LACK ROAD, BRAWLEY, CA PARCEL MAP 02490 APN 020-150-016-000





Exhibit "B"
Tentative Parcel Map



EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:

- A brief explanation is required for all answers except "No Impact" answers that are adequately supported by the information sources a lead agency cites in the parentheses following each question. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g., the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards (e.g., the project will not expose sensitive receptors to pollutants, based on a project-specific screening analysis).
- 2) All answers must take account of the whole action involved, including off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.
- Once the lead agency has determined that a particular physical impact may occur, then the checklist answers must indicate whether the impact is potentially significant, less than significant with mitigation, or less than significant. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect may be significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.
- "Negative Declaration: Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level (mitigation measures from "Earlier Analyses," as described in (5) below, may be cross-referenced).
- 5) Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). In this case, a brief discussion should identify the following:
 - a) Earlier Analysis Used. Identify and state where they are available for review.
 - b) Impacts Adequately Addressed. Identify which effects from the above checklist were within the scope of and adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and state whether such effects were addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis.
 - c) Mitigation Measures. For effects that are "Less than Significant with Mitigation Measures Incorporated," describe the mitigation measures which were incorporated or refined from the earlier document and the extent to which they address site-specific conditions for the project.
- 6) Lead agencies are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated.
- 7) Supporting Information Sources: A source list should be attached, and other sources used or individuals contacted should be cited in the discussion.
- 8) This is only a suggested form, and lead agencies are free to use different formats; however, lead agencies should normally address the questions from this checklist that are relevant to a project's environmental effects in whatever format is selected.
- 9) The explanation of each issue should identify:
 - a) the significance criteria or threshold, if any, used to evaluate each question; and
 - b) the mitigation measure identified, if any, to reduce the impact to less than significance

		Potentially Significant Impact (PSI)	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated (PSUMI)	Less Than Significant Impact (LTSI)	No Impact (NI)
l. <i>AE</i>	STHETICS				
Excep	t as provided in Public Resources Code Section 21099, would the page 1	roject:			
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista or scenic highway? a) Four areas within the County have the potenti	al as state-r	Tesignated scenic	highways	bowever
	the project site is not located near any scenic value of County Circulation and Scenic Highway Element	ista or scer	nic highway accor	ding to the	Imperial
b)	Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?				\boxtimes
	b) As previously stated, the proposed project is n and would not substantially damage scenic resou	not located nurces. There	ear a Scenic vista fore, no impact is	a or Scenic expected.	Highway
c)	In non-urbanized areas, substantially degrade the existing visual character or quality of public views of the site and its surrounding? (Public views are those that are experienced from publicly accessible vantage point.) If the project is in an urbanized area, would the project conflict with applicable				\boxtimes
	zoning and other regulations governing scenic quality? c) The proposed project would not substantially since the existing agricultural use is proposed to	physically or ph	degrade the exist refore, no impacts	ing visual c s are expect	haracter ted.
d)	Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area? d) The proposed project does not anticipate a ne adversely affect day or nighttime views in the are	w source of a. Therefore	substantial light o	☐ or glare whice expected.	⊠ ch would
II.	AGRICULTURE AND FOREST RESOURCES				
Agriculiuse in a environ the state	ermining whether impacts to agricultural resources are significant tural Land Evaluation and Site Assessment Model (1997) prepared the assessing impacts on agriculture and farmland. In determining whet imental effects, lead agencies may refer to information compiled by te's inventory of forest land, including the Forest and Range Assess measurement methodology provided in Forest Protocols adopted by	by the California ther impacts to f the California D sment Project an	Department of Conservation or construction of Conservation of	ation as an option of timberland, a and Fire Protection sessment project	onal model to ire significant ion regarding ct; and forest
a)	Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance (Farmland), as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to non-agricultural use?				\boxtimes
	a) The proposed project would continue the agricu of Statewide Importance" per the Imperial Counproposed project will not convert any type of Pri Statewide Importance to non-agricultural use; the	ty Important me Farmlar	: Farmland 2016 nd, Unique Farmla	Map, there and, or Farr	fore the
b)	Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson Act Contract? b) The proposed project would continue the agricultural use.				⊠ xpected
c)	Conflict with existing zoning for, or cause rezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Resources Code section 12220(g)), timberland (as defined by Public Resources Code section 4526), or timberland zoned Timberland Production (as defined by Government Code Section 51104(g))?				\boxtimes

		Potentially Significant Impact (PSI)	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated (PSUMI)	Less Than Significant Impact (LTSI)	∣No Impact (NI)
	c) The proposed project is consistent with the exist a forestland or timberland; therefore, it is not exprezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Redefined by Public Resources Code section 4526) defined by Government Code Section 51104(g)).	ected to cor esources Co), or timberla	Iflict with existing de section 12220 and zoned Timbe	zoning for, D(g)), timber	or cause rland (as
d)	Result in the loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to non-forest use? d) The proposed project is not located in a forest loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to				
e)	Involve other changes in the existing environment which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland, to non-agricultural use or conversion of forest land to non-forest use? e) The proposed project would continue the agric forestland; therefore, it is not expected to involve due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of forest land to non-forest use. No im-	other chang onversion of	es in the existing Farmland, to not	environmei	nt which,
Where	QUALITY available, the significance criteria established by the applicable air q pon to the following determinations. Would the Project:	uality managem	ent district or air pollutic	on control distric	t may be
a)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan? a) The proposed project is for a minor subdivision which is agricultural. Any future construction a Regulation VIII Fugitive Dust Rules, according to October 28, 2020 ² . Said measures would bring the	nd/or earth Air Pollution	moving activities Control District of	s will be su omment lett	ubject to
b)	Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard? b) As previously stated, under item a) above, the pto the existing environment. Any future constructing APCD, therefore, it is not expected that propose existing or projected air quality violation. Therefore	on shall con sed project	nply with the rule would contribute	s and regula substantial	ations of ly to an
c)	Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutants concentrations? c) The project proposes a minor subdivision with anticipate exposing receptors to substantial pollurunder item b) compliance with APCD regulations.	tants concer	ntrations. As prev	iously state	d above
d)	Result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors adversely affecting a substantial number of people? d) The proposed project is for a minor subdivision does not anticipate in creating objectionable odo stated above under item b), compliance with APC significant.	ors affecting	a substantial nu	mber of per	ople. As

10.

		Significant Impact (PSI)	Unless Mitigation Incorporated (PSUMI)	Significant Impact (LTSI)	No Impact (NI)
v. <i>Bl</i>	OLOGICAL RESOURCES Would the project:				
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special status species in local or regional plans, policies or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?	Dian Conco	Dryotion and One	N Space 5	□
	a) According to the Imperial County General Figure 1 "Sensitive Habitat Map", the project is not located within a sensitive habitat map; and the project is located within the "Burrowing O' the proposed project does not expect to have therefore, it does not appear to have a substal habitat modification, or any species identified species in local or regional plan, policies, or Wildlife. For any future development on site, the than significant impacts are expected.	located nor according to wl Species ve any phy intially adve d as a can regulation, of	theast of the Ner o Figure 2 "Sens Distribution Mod sical changes to rse effect, either didate, sensitive or by the Depar	w River, ho bitive Specie del" area. Ho the envir directly or directly or directly or directly or	wever is es Map", lowever, onment, through al status
b)	Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or other sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service? b) According to the Imperial County General Fithe project site is not within a sensitive or riparia additionally, the existing use which is agricultural appear to have a substantial effect in local or resensitive natural communities or by the Department impacts are expected.	an habitat, o ral is propos egional plan	r other sensitive sed to remain, th , policies, and re	natural con erefore, it o gulations re	nmunity; does not egarding
c)	Have a substantial adverse effect on state or federally protected wetlands (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means? c) As previously stated on item a) above, the proj substantial adverse effect on federal protected we pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, than significant impacts are anticipated	etlands (inclu	iding but not limit	ed to, marsh	n, vernal
d)	Interfere substantially with the movement of any resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native resident or migratory wildlife corridors, or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites? d) The proposed minor subdivision is located ne proposes any physical alterations to the environm with the movement of any residential or migratory or migratory wildlife, corridors or impede the use any impact, it is expected to be less than significated.	nent; therefo fish or wildlif of native wi	re, it would not in e species or with	terfere subs established	stantially resident
e)	Conflict with any local policies or ordinance protecting biological resource, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance? e) The proposed project does not conflict with an resources, such as a tree preservation policy or or ordinance.	ny local polic	y or ordinances properties	protecting b	⊠ iological
f)	Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat			Ct is expecte	ъи. П

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Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?

f) The proposed project is not within a designated sensitive area according to the Imperial County General Plan's Conservation and Open Space Element, therefore, it would not conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan. Impacts are expected to be less than significant.

V.	CU	ULTURAL RESOURCES Would the project:	
	a)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource pursuant to §15064.5? a)According to the Imperial County General Plan's Conservation and Open Space Element, I 5 "Areas of Heightened Historic Period Sensitivity, the area is classified under "1000m around Named Streams and Waterbodies", however the site has an existing agricultural us is expected to remain and it is not likely that the project may cause a substantial adverse of in the significance of a historical resource. Thus, Figure 6 "Known Areas of Native Am Cultural Sensitivity" does not locate the project within a designated area of possible in Additionally, on October 20, 2020, we received an email from the Quechan Historic Preser Officer stating that they had no comments on this project. Therefore, impacts are expected less than significant.	buffer se that hange erican mpact. vation
	b)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource pursuant to §15064.5? b) As previously mentioned under item a) above, the proposed project is located on disturbed and it is not likely to cause a substantial change to an archeological resource. Less than sign impacts are expected.	☐ d land ificant
	c)	Disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries? c) As mentioned under Item a) above, the proposed project site is located on disturbed land we existing agricultural use and is not expected to result in the disturbance of any human remaincluding those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries. Less than significant impact expected.	nains,
VI.	ENI	IERGY Would the project:	
	a)	Result in potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy	steful,
	b)	Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency? b) As previously mentioned under item a), the proposed project is for a minor subdivision and not proposes any changes in the existing use, therefore it will not conflict with or obstruct a state local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency. Less than significant impacts are expected.	ate or

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'II. G	EOLO	DGY AND SOILS Would the project:				
a)	eff a) as Th pe	rectly or indirectly cause potential substantial adverse ects, including risk of loss, injury, or death involving: The proposed project does not appear to conflict on proposed development is anticipated, and the project will be required to submit a drainage or Public Works comment letter dated January epartment is expected to bring impacts to less to	the existing a letter accep lary 21, 20	agricultural use is table to the Public 21. Compliance	proposed to Works De	remain.
	1)	Rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known fault? Refer to Division of Mines and Geology Special Publication 42? 1) The most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquak within any Earthquake Fault Zones as create Act; the Brawley Seismic Zone is located ap Per Public Works Comment letter dated Januar on any of the properties, a Drainage and Gr Works Department. Impacts are expected to	ed by the Al proximately ary 21, 2021 ading Study	lquist-Priolo Earth 2 miles East of th , should any future //Plan shall be red	quake Faul ne proposed developme	t Zoning project. ent occur
	2)	Strong Seismic ground shaking? 2) As discussed above, under item 1) the Braproposed project, and therefore, ground shakthe region. However, the proposed project impacts are expected to be less than signification.	king is exped does not i	cted in the event	of seismic a	ctivity in
	3)	Seismic-related ground failure, including liquefaction and seiche/tsunami? 3) As discussed above under item a), development; additionally, the project is not to the California Official Tsunami Inundation significant.	ocated in a 1	rsunami inundatio	n area acco	ordina to
	4)	Landslides? 4) The proposed project is not located within a County Seismic and Public Safety Element, Fithe project site appears to be generally flat affected by a landslide. No impacts are expe	igure 2 (Land t, and there	dslide Activity). Th	e topograph	y within
b)	b) loc	ult in substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil? The proposed project does not proposes any ated within an area of substantial soil erosion fety Element, Figure 3 (Erosion Activity). Any ir	according to	Imperial County	Seismic and	d Public
c)	pote subs c)	ocated on a geologic unit or soil that is unstable or that ld become unstable as a result of the project, and entially result in on- or off-site landslides, lateral spreading, sidence, liquefaction or collapse? The proposed project site is not located on a lapse as a result of the proposed minor subdivide (CBC) for any future construction would ma	ision project	t; compliance with	California I	table or

⁴ Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Maps

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	d)	Be located on expansive soil, as defined in the latest Uniform Building Code, creating substantial direct or indirect risk to life or property? d) The proposed project site may be under	□ lain clay, ho	wever no propo	⊠ sed develo	☐ pment is
		anticipated and the existing agricultural use is expected to be less than significant.	proposed to	remain, therefo	re, any imp	acts are
	e)	Have soils incapable of adequately supporting the use of septic tanks or alternative waste water disposal systems where sewers are not available for the disposal of waste water?				
		e) No proposed development is anticipated and In the event there is any future construction relacompliance with applicable Imperial County P would assure that the impacts of the projects wo	ated with the ublic Health	disposal of waste Department regu	water, it sh	nall be in
	f)	Directly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological resource or site or unique geologic feature?				
		f) The proposed project has an existing agricultuto the site and it is not expected to directly or in or site or unique geologic feature. Less than sign	directly destr	oy a unique pale	any physica ontological	l change resource
VIII.	GR	REENHOUSE GAS EMISSION Would the project:				
	a)	Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?			\boxtimes	
		a) The proposed project is for a subdivision with the site are being proposed. Compliance with ap- construction would make any impact less than si	plicable Cou	agricultural use. nty Codes in the	No improver event there	ments to is future
	b)	Conflict with an applicable plan or policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases?				
		b) The proposed project is for a minor subdivision of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases aphysical changes proposed to the environment.	emission to 1	990 levels by 202	0 since ther	e are no
IX.	HA.	ZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS Would the projec	<i>t</i> :			
	a)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?				\boxtimes
		a) The proposed project is not expected to denvironment since it does not include any hat expected.	create a sigr andling of ha	nificant hazard to zardous materia	the public ls. No impa	or the acts are
	b)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonable foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?				
		b) The proposed project is not expected to c environment through reasonable foreseeable up of hazardous materials into the environment. Les	set and acci	dent conditions ir	nvolving the	

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c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?			\boxtimes	
	c) The proposed project is not located within ½ m a risk to school facilities; therefore, less than sig	nile of a schoo Inificant impa	l, thus, the project cts are expected.	t would not re	epresent
d)	Be located on a site, which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment?				
	d) The proposed project site is not located on a therefore, less than significant impacts are expe	site included cted.	on a list of hazar	dous materi	al sites ⁵ ;
e)	For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard or excessive noise for people residing or working in the project area?				\boxtimes
	e) The proposed project is not located within an a airport or public use airport, and would not resu- in the project area; therefore, no impact expecte	lt in a safety I	se plan, or within hazard for people	two miles of residing or	a public working
f)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?			\boxtimes	
	 f) The proposed project would not interfere with a evacuation plan; therefore, less than significant in 	n adopted em impacts are e	ergency respons expected.	e plan or em	ergency
g)	Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires? g) The proposed project site is not located in a impact is expected.	n area susce	ptible to wildland	☐ I fires; there	⊠ fore, no
HY	DROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY Would the project:				
a)	Violate any water quality standards or waste discharge requirements or otherwise substantially degrade surface or ground water quality?			\boxtimes	
	a) The proposed project has an existing agridevelopment is anticipated. Additionally, the I information and submitted a comment letter date 1. The applicant should be advised to establish a each parcel. For additional information on water Division Office at (760) 482-9900. 2. Any construction or operation on IID property easements including but not limited to: surfact driveways, parking lots, landscape; and all water	Imperial Irrigated October 26 point of water service the actor within its exercise improvements.	ation District ⁶ re y, 2020 with the form or delivery and dra applicant should existing and proposents such as pro-	eviewed the bllowing com ainage disch call IID's No osed right of opsed new	project iments: arge for orth End f way or streets.
	or underground utilities! will require an encrease (depending on the circumstances). The IID encrease available at https://www.iid.com/about-iid/deparsectionshould be contacted at (760) 339-9239 for permits or agreements. 3. Any new, relocated, modified or reconstructed	oachment pe oachment pe ment-director or additional	ermit, or encroa ermit application a <u>v/real-estate</u> Th information regar	chment agr and instructi ne IID Real rding encroa	reement ons are Estate achment

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⁵ EnviroStor Database http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/6 Imperial Irrigation District comment letter dated October 26, 2020

(PSI) (PSUMI) (LTSI) (NI) can include but is not limited to electrical utility substations, electrical transmission and distribution lines, etc.) need to be included as part of the project's CEQA and/or NEPA documentation. environmental impact analysis and mitigation. Failure to do so will result in postponement of any construction and/or modification or IID facilities until such time as the environmental documentation is amended and environmental impacts are fully analyzed. Any and all mitigation necessary as a result of the construction, relocation and/or upgrade of IID facilities is the responsibility of the project proponent. It is expected that compliance with IID's requirements would bring any impacts related to water quality standards or waste discharge requirements or surface or ground water quality, to less than significant levels. Substantially decrease groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge such that the project \boxtimes may impede sustainable groundwater management of the b) The proposed project proposes to continue the existing agricultural use, and is not expected to substantially decrease groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge such that the project may impede sustainable groundwater management of the basin. Any impacts are expected to be less than significant. Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river or through the addition of impervious surfaces, in a X П manner which would: c) The proposed project does not anticipate a physical alteration to the site that would substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river or through the addition of impervious surfaces. Additionally, per Imperial County Public Works Department⁷ comment letter dated January 21, 2021 a Drainage letter that takes into the account the prevention of sedimentation of damage to off-site properties and county road rightof way(s) from run-off may be accepted in lieu of a Grading Plan. However, should any future development occur on any of the properties, a Drainage and Grading Study/Plan shall be required. It is expected that compliance with Imperial County Public Works Department would bring impacts to less than significant levels. (i) result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site: (i) The proposed project will continue the existing agricultural use, no new development is anticipated on site and therefore, it is not expected to result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site. It is expected that compliance with Imperial County Public Works Department would bring impacts to less than significant levels. (ii) substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or \boxtimes (ii) As stated above under item (i), the proposed project does not anticipate new development, and therefore, it is not expected to substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or offsite. Compliance with Imperial County Public Works Department would bring any impact to less than significant levels. (iii) create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of \boxtimes

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		(iii) The proposed project is not expected to creat the capacity of existing or planned storm water disources of polluted runoff since the current grading/drainage letter to be reviewed and apprequired. Therefore, less than significant impacts	Irainage syste use is not proved by Im	ems or provide s proposed to be perial County F	ubstantial a se changed	dditional and a
		(iv) impede or redirect flood flows? (iv) The proposed project site is located within Zinsurance Rate Map Panel 060065 0425 B. Hograding/drainage letter to be reviewed and apprequired, therefore, less than significant impacts a	wever, no ne proved by Im	ew development perial County P	is propose	d and a
	d)	In flood hazard, tsunami, or seiche zones, risk release of pollutants due to project inundation? d) The proposed project will continue the exist proposed, therefore, impacts related to risk relections to the considered less than significant.	□ ing agricultur ease of pollu	ral use and no retants due to pro	⊠ new develop pject inunda	ment is tion are
	e)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of a water quality control plan or sustainable groundwater management plan? e) As mentioned above under item c), the proposed no new development is proposed, therefore, implementation of a water quality control plan or impacts are considered less than significant.	it is not exp	pected to confli	ct with or	obstruct
XI.	LA	ND USE AND PLANNING Would the project:				
	a)	Physically divide an established community? a) The proposed project will not physically divid agricultural use is consistent with the surrounding	de an establiques; therefore	shed community	thus, the expected.	⊠ existing
	b)	Cause a significant environmental impact due to a conflict with any land use plan, policy, or regulation adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect? b) The proposed project could be considered of since no change is being proposed to the existing anticipate to physically change the environmental impact due to a conflict with any la purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental expected.	use. Addition tand it is no and use plan,	nally, the propos ot expected to policy, or regula	ed project d cause a sig tion adopted	oes not Inificant I for the
XII.	MIN	ERAL RESOURCES Would the project:				
	a)	Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state?				
		a) The proposed project does not include the re- within the boundaries of an active mine per Imperia Space Element, Figure 8 "Existing Mineral Resour	al County Ger	neral Plan's Con	servation an	d Open
	b)	Result in the loss of availability of a locally-important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan?			\boxtimes	

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b) The proposed project will not result in the loss of availability of a locally-important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan. Less than significant impacts are expected. XIII. NOISE Would the project result in: Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess X of standards established in the local general plan or noise ordinance, or applicable standards of other agencies? a) The proposed project is not expected to expose persons to or generate noise levels in excess of standards as defined by Imperial County General Plan's Noise Element⁸ since no change in the existing use is proposed. Less than significant impacts are expected. Generation of excessive groundborne vibration or \boxtimes groundborne noise levels? The proposed project is not expected to generate excessive groundborne vibration or groundborne noise levels since no change in the existing use is proposed. Less than significant impacts are expected. For a project located within the vicinity of a private airstrip or an airport land use plan or where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use П П \boxtimes airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels? c) The proposed project site is not within the vicinity of a private airstrip; therefore, no impacts are expected. XIV. POPULATION AND HOUSING Would the project: Induce substantial unplanned population growth in an area, either directly (for example, by proposing new homes and П \boxtimes business) or indirectly (for example, through extension of roads or other infrastructure)? a) The proposed project would not induce substantial unplanned population growth in the area either directly or indirectly, since the site has two existing dwelling units and no changes to the current use are proposed. Therefore, no impacts are expected. Displace substantial numbers of existing people or housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing \boxtimes elsewhere? b) The proposed project will not displace substantial numbers of people necessitating the construction or replacement housing elsewhere. Therefore, no impact is expected. PUBLIC SERVICES Would the project result in substantial adverse physical impacts associated with the provision of new or physically altered governmental facilities, need for new or physically altered governmental facilities, the construction of which could \boxtimes П cause significant environmental impacts, in order to maintain acceptable service ratios, response times or other performance objectives for any of the public services:

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	a) The proposed project does not anticipate any operated in two new parcels; therefore, the proposed physical impacts associated with potential impact would be less than significant.	sed project v	will not result in	substantia	I adverse
	Fire Protection? The proposed project is not expected to result change to the existing use is proposed; any new in the existing use is proposed.	in substantia	al impacts on fire	⊠ protection gnificant.	, since no
	2) Police Protection?2) The proposed project is not expected to have any new impacts would be less than significant.	result in sub	stantial impacts	⊠ on police p	rotection;
	3) Schools?3) The proposed project is not expected to have expected.	a substantia	Il impact on scho	ools. No im	⊠ pacts are
	4) Parks? 4) The proposed project is not expected to create expected.	☐ e a substantia	☐ al impact on park	s. No impa	⊠ acts are
	5) Other Public Facilities?5) The proposed project is not expected to crea however, any impacts would be less than significant	☐ te a substar ant.	itial impact on of	⊠ her public	facilities;
XVI. R	ECREATION				
a)	Would the project increase the use of the existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated?			\boxtimes	
	a) The proposed project is not expected to incregional parks or other recreational facilities such the would occur or be accelerated since no changes to would be less than significant.	nat substanti	al physical deteri	oration of the	he facility
b)	Does the project include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities which might have an adverse effect on the environment?				
	b) The proposed project does not include or requite than significant impacts are expected.	re the consti	ruction of recreat	ionai tacilit	ies. Less
/II. <i>TR.</i>	ANSPORTATION Would the project:				
a)	Conflict with a program plan, ordinance or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle and pedestrian facilities?			\boxtimes	
	a) The proposed project is not expected to creat does not conflict with the Imperial County General I however any new impacts would appear to be less	Plan's Circula	ation and Scenic	ounding ro	pads and Element;
b)	Would the project conflict or be inconsistent with the CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)? b) The proposed project will not conflict or be	☐ inconsistent	with the CEQA	⊠ Guidelines	☐ s section

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(PSI) (PSUMI) (LTSI) (NI) 15064.3, subdivision (b) since it is not expected to have a significant transportation impact within transit priority areas and no change is proposed in the existing use. However the proposed project site it is not located within one-half mile of either an existing major transit stop or a stop along an existing high quality transit corridor. Less than significant impacts are expected. Substantially increases hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or \boxtimes \Box incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)? c) The proposed project does not appear to substantially increase hazards due to design features or incompatible uses. The minor subdivision does not proposes new development and is expected to continue the existing agricultural use; however, any impacts would be less than significant. Result in inadequate emergency access? d) No change in the existing use is proposed, neither new development. Additionally, a dedicated private street (Parcel A) is proposed under parcel "A". Any impacts are considered less than significant. XVIII. TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES Would the project cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in Public Resources Code Section 21074 as either a site, feature, place, cultural landscape that is geographically defined in terms of \Box П \boxtimes the size and scope of the landscape, sacred place or object with cultural value to a California Native American tribe, and a) The proposed project has an existing agricultural use that is proposed to continue and no new development is anticipated, and additionally, a notification via email was received from the Quechan Historic Preservation Officer stating that they do not wish to comment on this project at this time; therefore, less than significant impacts are expected. (i) Listed or eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of X historical resources as define in Public Resources Code Section 5020.1(k), or (i) The proposed project is not listed or is not likely that it would be eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of historical resources as define in Public Resources Code Section 5020.1(k) since as stated above under item a), the project area has an existing agricultural use, and there is no evidence of cultural resources on site. Less than significant impacts are expected. (ii) A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section 5024.1. In applying the criteria set forth is П \boxtimes subdivision (c) of Public Resource Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American Tribe. (ii) The proposed project site has an existing agricultural use that is proposed to remain and no new development is anticipated. Therefore, no significant resources as defined in the Public Resources Code Section 5024.1 are expected to be impacted. Any impact would be less than significant.

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XIX.	UT	TILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS Would the project:				
	a)	Require or result in the relocation or construction of new or expanded water, wastewater treatment or stormwater drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunications facilities, the construction of which could cause significant environmental effects? a) The proposed project anticipates to continue to require or result in the relocation or construction or stormwater drainage, electric power, nat construction of which could cause significant en	on of new or e ural gas, or	xpanded water, w r telecommunica	astewater tr	eatment ies. the
	b)	Have sufficient water supplies available to serve the project from existing and reasonably foreseeable future development during normal, dry and multiple dry years?			\boxtimes	
		b) The proposed project does not anticipate a characteristic previously under Section X "Hydrology and Walter Stating that the applicant should be drainage discharge for each parcel. In addition the existing agricultural use is anticipated, it is expect water supplies available to serve the project of development during normal, dry and multiple dissignificant.	ater Quality", be advise to e to compliance ted that the p from existing	Imperial Irrigation establish a point of establish a point of establish project with IID, since roposed project with and reasonably	n District pro of water deliv no expansio vould have s foreseeable	ovided a very and on to the sufficient e future
	c)	Result in a determination by the wastewater treatment provider which serves or may serve the project that it has adequate capacity to serve the project's projected demand in addition to the provider's existing commitments? c) The proposed project is not expected to resurprovider which serves or may serve the project to projected demand in addition to the provider's elementary transfer of the provider's eleme	hat it has ade existing comr	equate capacity to mitments. Comp	serve the plance with	oroject's Imperial
	d)	Generate solid waste in excess of State or local standards, or in excess of the capacity of local infrastructure, or otherwise impair the attainment of solid waste reduction goals? d) The proposed project does not anticipate an new development is proposed. Therefore, it is n State or local standards, or in excess of the capa attainment of solid waste reduction goals. Impact	ot expected to	to generate solid nfrastructure, or c	waste in ex otherwise im	cess of
	e)	Comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste? e) As mentioned above under item d), the properthe existing agricultural use and no new develor comply with federal, state and local statues and development would be subject to all statutes are impacts are be expected.	opment is pro d regulations	oposed. The pro s related to solid	posed proje waste. Any	ct shall y future
XX.		DFIRE				
lf	locate	ed in or near state responsibility areas or lands classified as very hig	h fire hazard seve	erity zones, would the F	roject:	
	a)	Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?			\boxtimes	

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	a) The proposed project is located within an LRA map for Imperial County, and the closest Very located approximately 25 miles northwest of the impacts are expected related to substantially in emergency evacuation plan.	High Fire proposed	Hazard Severity project; therefore	Zones (VHI , less than s	FHSZ) is ignificant
b)	Due to slope, prevailing winds, and other factors, exacerbate wildfire risks, and thereby expose project occupants to pollutant concentrations from a wildfire or the uncontrolled spread of a wildfire? b) As previously stated under item a) above, the		project is eleccified		
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c)	Require the installation or maintenance of associated infrastructure (such as roads, fuel breaks, emergency water sources, power lines or other utilities) that may exacerbate fire risk or that may result in temporary or ongoing impacts to the environment?			\boxtimes	
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Note: Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21083.05, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 65088.4, Gov. Code; Sections 21080(c), 21080.1, 21080.3, 21083, 21083.05, 21083.3, 21093, 21094, 21095, and 21151, Public Resources Code; Sundstrom v. County of Mendocino, (1988) 202 Cal. App. 3d 296; Leonoff v. Monterey Board of Supervisors, (1990) 222 Cal. App. 3d 1337; Eureka Citizens for Responsible Govt. v. City of Eureka (2007) 147 Cal. App. 4th 357; Protect the Historic Amador Waterways v. Amador Water Agency (2004) 116 Cal. App. 4th at 1109; San Franciscans Upholding the Downtown Plan v. City and County of San Francisco (2002) 102 Cal. App. 4th 656.

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SECTION 3

III. MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE

The following are Mandatory Findings of Significance in accordance with Section 15065 of the CEQA Guidelines.

а)	Does the project have the potential to substantially degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, substantially reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal, eliminate tribal cultural resources or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory?		
b)	Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.)		
c)	Does the project have environmental effects, which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?		

IV. PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS CONSULTED

This section identifies those persons who prepared or contributed to preparation of this document. This section is prepared in accordance with Section 15129 of the CEQA Guidelines.

A. COUNTY OF IMPERIAL

- Jim Minnick, Director of Planning & Development Services
- Michael Abraham, AICP, Assistant Director of Planning & Development Services
- Mariela Moran, Project Planner
- Imperial County Air Pollution Control District
- Department of Public Works
- Fire Department
- Ag Commissioner
- Environmental Health Services
- Sheriff's Office

B. OTHER AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS

- Imperial Irrigation District
- Quechan Indian Tribe

(Written or oral comments received on the checklist prior to circulation)

V. **REFERENCES**

- "County of Imperial General Plan EIR", prepared by Brian F. Mooney & Associates in 1993; and as Amended by County in 1996, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2006 & 2008, 2015, 2016.
- 2. Imperial County Circulation and Scenic Highway Element https://www.icpds.com/assets/planning/circulation-scenic-highway-element-2008.pdf
- 3. Air Pollution Control District comment letter dated October 28, 2020.
- 4. Imperial County General Plan Conservation and Open Space Element https://www.icpds.com/assets/planning/conservation-open-space-element-2016.pdf
- 5. Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Maps https://maps.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/EQZApp/app/
- 6. EnviroStor Database http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/
- 7. Imperial Irrigation District comment letter dated October 26, 2020.
- 8. Imperial County Public Works Department comment letter dated January 21, 2021.
- 9. Imperial County General Plan Noise Element https://www.icpds.com/assets/planning/noise-element-2015.pdf

VI. NEGATIVE DECLARATION – County of Imperial

The following Negative Declaration is being circulated for public review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act Section 21091 and 21092 of the Public Resources Code.

Project Name: Parcel Map #02490

Project Applicant: Timothy Lloyd Allen & Roy Kyle Allen

Project Location: 6196 Lack Rd., Brawley, CA

Description of Project: Applicant proposes to separate two existing deliveries and two existing fields into two separate parcels for family legal trust issues. The existing property totals approximately 298 acres and the proposed division of said property would create two parcels of 143 and 155 acres each approximately.

VII. **FINDINGS** This is to advise that the County of Imperial, acting as the lead agency, has conducted an Initial Study to determine if the project may have a significant effect on the environmental and is proposing this Negative Declaration based upon the following findings: The Initial Study shows that there is no substantial evidence that the project may have a significant effect on the environment and a NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared. The Initial Study identifies potentially significant effects but: (1) Proposals made or agreed to by the applicant before this proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration was released for public review would avoid the effects or mitigate the effects to a point where clearly no significant effects would occur. (2) There is no substantial evidence before the agency that the project may have a significant effect on the environment. (3)Mitigation measures are required to ensure all potentially significant impacts are reduced to levels of insignificance. A NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared. If adopted, the Negative Declaration means that an Environmental Impact Report will not be required. Reasons to support this finding are included in the attached Initial Study. The project file and all related documents are available for review at the County of Imperial, Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243 (442) 265-1736. NOTICE The public is invited to comment on the proposed Negative Declaration during the review period. Date of Determination Jim Minnick, Director of Planning & Development Services

The Applicant hereby acknowledges and accepts the results of the Environmental Evaluation Committee (EEC) and

hereby agrees to implement all Mitigation Measures, if applicable, as outlined in the MMRP.

Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department Page 32 of 34

Date

Applicant Signature

SECTION 4

VIII.

RESPONSE TO COMMENTS

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IX.	MITIGATION MONITORING & REPORTING PROGRAM (MMRP)
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799 E. Heil Ave., El Centro, CA 92243.

October 30, 2020

Mr. Jim Minnick, Director Planning & Development Services Department 801 Main Street El Centro, CA 92243

Attn: Mariela Moran

Subject: Parcel Map No. 02490, Imperial Irrigation District response letter.

Dear Mr. Minnick:

Precision Engineering & Surveying, Inc. is providing this letter to address the response from the Imperial Irrigation District on the proposed Parcel Map.

- The applicant will continue to have water delivered to Parcel 1 through the O'brien Lateral Delivery 958 and will continue to discharge water to the west to the Thompson Drain. The applicant will also have a separate point of water delivery to Parcel 2 from the O'brien Lateral Delivery 956 and will continue to discharge water north to the Vail Drain.
- 2. There is no construction planned for this parcel map. The proposed easement for access to Parcel 2 from Lack Road will be outside of IID right of way.
- 3. There will be no modifications to the existing IID facilities for this Parcel Map.

Sincerely,

Taylor Preece, P.L.S. Survey Manager

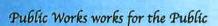


COUNTY OF

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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January 21, 2021

Mr. Jim Minnick, Director Planning & Development Services Department 801 Main Street El Centro, CA 92243

Attention:

Mariela Moran, Planner II

SUBJECT:

Parcel Map 2490 Timothy Lloyd & Roy Kyle Allen;

Located on 6196 Lack Road, Brawley, CA

APN 020-150-016-001

Dear Mr. Minnick:

This letter is in response to your submittal received on October 16, 2020 for the above-mentioned project. The applicant is proposing to separate two existing deliveries and two existing fields into two separate legal parcels for family legal trust issues. Parcel 1 would be +/-143 acres and Parcel 2 would be +/-153 acres, for project's total of +/-298 acres. The intended use will remain agricultural.

Department staff has reviewed the package information and the following comments:

- 1. Whenever Parcel Map are proposed. This Department normally require a Grading and Drainage Study/Plan be provided. In this case, since no new development is being proposed, a Drainage Letter that takes into account the prevention of sedimentation of damage to off-site properties and county road right-of-way(s) from storm run-off may be accepted in lieu of a Grading Plan. However, should any future development occur on any of the properties, a Drainage and Grading Study/Plan shall be required by this Department
- 2. Each parcel created or affected by this project shall abut a maintained road and/or have legal and physical access to a public road before the project documents are recorded
- 3. An encroachment permit shall be secured from this Department for any and all new, altered or unauthorized existing driveway(s) to access the properties through surrounding roads (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12.12 Excavations on or Near a Public Road). However, should any future development occur on any of the properties, Street improvements shall be required in conjunction with, but not limited to, any construction, grading, or related work, including the construction of structures, buildings, or major additions thereto, on property located adjacent to any county street or on property utilizing any county street for ingress and egress (Per Section 12.10.020 Street Improvement Requirements of Imperial County Ordinance).
- 4. Lack Road is classified as Minor Collector Local Collector, two (2) lanes, requiring seventy feet (70) of right of way, being thirty five (35) feet from existing centerline. It is required that sufficient right of way be provided to meet this road classification. As directed by Imperial County Board of Supervisors per Minute Order #6 dated 11/22/1994 per the Imperial County Circulation Element Plan of the General Plan).

- 5. The corners and angle points of Parcel 1 and Parcel 2 shall be marked with durable survey monuments set in a manner ensuring the greatest permanence practicable
- 6. Tentative Parcel Map 2490 shows five (5) controlling survey corners in existence prior to the proposed subdivision. Corner records that show connections to at least three (3) nearby corner accessories shall be prepared and filed for each of the controlling survey corner monuments shown on the Tentative Parcel Map.

Informative at time of development:

The following items are for informational purposes only. Applicant is responsible to determine if the enclosed items affect the subject project.

- As this project proceeds through the planning and the approval process, additional comments and/or requirements may apply as more information is received.
- All solid and hazardous waste shall be disposed of in approved solid waste disposal sites in accordance with existing County, State and Federal regulations (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 8.72).
- The project may require a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and Notice of Intent (NOI) from the Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) prior county approval of onsite grading plan (40 CFR 122.28).
- As this project proceeds through the planning and the approval process, additional comments and/or requirements may apply as more information is received.
- A Transportation Permit may be required from road agency(s) having jurisdiction over the haul route(s) for any hauls of heavy equipment and/or large vehicles which impose greater than legal loads on riding surfaces, including bridges. (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 10.12 Overweight Vehicles and Loads).

Respectfully,

John A. Gay, PE

Director of Pt6yublic Works

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Mr. Jim Minnick Planning & Development Services Director 801 Main St. El Centro, CA 92243 OCT 28 2020

IMPERIAL COUNTY
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

SUBJECT: Parcel Map (PM) 02490—Timothy Lloyd Allen and Roy Kyle Allen

Dear Mr. Minnick:

The Imperial County Air Pollution Control District ("Air District") thanks you for the opportunity to review the application regarding Parcel Map (PM) 02490 that would separate two existing fields into two separate legal parcels of 153 acres and 143 acres for family legal trust issues. The intended use will remain agricultural. The project is located at 6196 Lack Road in Brawley, California (further described as Assessor's Parcel Number 020-150-016-000).

Upon review, the Air District has no comment at this time other than to receive a copy of the Final Parcel Map.

The Air District's rule book can be accessed via the internet at https://apcd.imperialcounty.org. Click on "Rules & Regulations" on the top of the page. Should you have questions, please call our office at (442) 265-1800.

Curtis Blondell

APC Environmental Coordinator

Monica N. Soucier APC Division Manager





October 26, 2020

Ms. Mariela Moran
Planner II
Planning & Development Services Department
County of Imperial
801 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243

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PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

SUBJECT: Parcel Map No. 2490

Dear Ms. Moran:

On October 16, 2020, the Imperial Irrigation District received from the Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department, a request for agency comments on Parcel Map no. 02490. The applicant proposes to separate two deliveries (O'Brien Lateral Deliveries 956 and 958) and two agricultural fields located at 6196 Lack Road in Brawley, California (APN 020-150-016-001) into two legal parcel for family legal trust purposes.

The Imperial Irrigation District has reviewed the information and has the following comments:

- The applicant should be advised to establish a point of water delivery and drainage discharge for each parcel. For additional information on water service the applicant should call IID's North End Division Office at (760) 482-9900.
- 2. Any construction or operation on IID property or within its existing and proposed right of way or easements including but not limited to: surface improvements such as proposed new streets, driveways, parking lots, landscape; and all water, sewer, storm water, or any other above ground or underground utilities; will require an encroachment permit, or encroachment agreement (depending on the circumstances). The IID encroachment permit application and instructions are available at https://www.iid.com/about-iid/department-directory/real-estate.. The IID Real Estate Section should be contacted at (760) 339-9239 for additional information regarding encroachment permits or agreements.
- 3. Any new, relocated, modified or reconstructed IID facilities required for and by the project (which can include but is not limited to electrical utility substations, electrical transmission and distribution lines, etc.) need to be included as part of the project's CEQA and/or NEPA documentation, environmental impact analysis and mitigation. Failure to do so will result in postponement of any construction and/or modification

Mariela Moran

From:

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Wednesday, October 21, 2020 4:26 PM

To:

Valerie Grijalva

Subject:

RE: PM02490 Request for Comments

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Good afternoon Valerie,

No comments from IID Transmission Planning.

Thanks,



Rudy Z. Leal
Engineer I
Transmission Planning
Imperial Irrigation District

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Please see attached Request for Comments Packet for **PM02490**. Comments are due by **November 02, 2020 at 5:00 PM.**

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Should you have any questions regarding this project, please feel free to contact Mariela Moran, Planner II at (442)265-1736 ext. 1747 or submit your comment letters to icpdscommentletters@co.imperial.ca.us

Thank you,

Valerie Grijalva

Office Assistant II Planning and Development Services 801 Main Street El Centro, CA 92243 Office: (442)265-1779 Fax: (442) 265-1735





Imperial County Planning & Development Services Planning / Building Development Services

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October 16, 2020

Jim Minnick

IMPERIAL COUNTY
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

REQUEST FOR REVIEW AND COMMENTS

The attached project and materials are being sent to you for your review and as an early notification that the following project is being requested and being processed by the County's Planning & Development Services Department. Please review the proposed project based on your agency/department area of Interest, expertise, and/or jurisdiction.

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To: County Age Board of Supervisor		State Agencies/Other CA RWQC Board – Kel Dunn	Cities/Other Gentral Union High School District - Dr. Ward
☐: County Executive Office – Tony Routholas/Esperanza Collo		CA Public Utilities Commission (Southern CA)	Andrus IID – Rudy Leal
☑ IC Public Health - Jagette Angulo		Dept. of Fish and Wildlife – Magdalena Rodriguez	☑ BLM - Carrie Sahagun
☑ Public Works – John Gay/Carlos Yea		■ Native American Heritage Commission – Kaly	IID Environ. Compliance - Doneld Vargas
APCD - Matt Dessert/Monica Soucier		Sanchez Torres - Mertinez Indian Tribe - Joseph Mirelez	Caltrans-District 11 – Melina Pereirs/Roger
Ag. Commissioner – Carlos Ortiz/Sandra Mandivil		Torres - Martinez Desert Cahulila Indians - Thomas Tortez	COCOPAH Indian Tribe - Sherry Cordova
IC Fire/OES Office - Robert Malek/Andrew Loper		☐ Le Poste Band of Mission Indians - Gwendolyn	☐ CHEMEHUEVI Reservation - Charles Wood
☑ IC Sheriff's Office — I	Robert Benzyldez/Ray Loera	Parade Manzenita Band of KUMEYAAY Nation - Angela Elliott Sentes	Campo Band of Mission Indians - Raiph Goff
⊠ EHS Office Jeff Lai	moure/Jorge Perez/Marlo Salinas	☐ KUMEYAAY Cultural Repairlation Committee	☐ Fort Yuma — Quechan Indian Tribe — Jilf McCormick
Assessor's Office - F	lobert Menvielle	Other	🔲 Fort Yuma – Quechan Indian Tribe – Jordan D. Joaquin
From:	Mariela Moran, Planner II - (44	2) 265-1736 extension 1747 or via-email at IC	PDSCommentLetters@co.imperial.ca.us
Project ID:	Parcel Map 02490		
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Applicant:	Timothy Lloyd Allen & Roy Kyte Allen		
Your written comments, recommendations, or conditions are requested by the deadline below so that the Director of Planning & Development Services can review them for appropriateness and incorporate it as part of project consideration. Please submit your response to the Case Planner. Jim Minnick, Director, Thank You!			
Comments due by:	November 2, 2020		EEC Meeting: TBD
COMMENTS: (attach a separate sheef if necessary) (If no comments, please state below and mall, fax, or e-mail this sheet to Case Planner)			
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Mariela Moran

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Quechan Historic Preservation Officer < historic preservation@quechantribe.com>

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Tuesday, October 20, 2020 8:50 AM Valerie Grijalva; Mariela Moran

To: Cc:

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Thank you,

Valerie Grijalva

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Mariela Moran

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Mario Salinas

Sent:

Tuesday, October 20, 2020 10:18 AM

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Good morning Ms. Grijalva,

Pertaining to PM02490, Division of Environmental Health does not have any comments at this time.

Thank you,

Mario Salinas, MBA

Environmental Health Compliance Specialist I Imperial County Public Health Department Division of Environmental Health 797 Main Street Suite B, El Centro, CA 92243

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PARCEL MAP APPLICATION AND SUPPLEMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

MINOR SUBDIVISION

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- APPLICANT MUST COMPLETE ALL NUMBERED (black) SPACES - Please type or print -PROPERTY OWNER'S NAME **EMAIL ADDRESS** Timothy Lloyd Allen & Roy Kyle Allen office@timcohav.com MAILING ADDRESS ZIP CODE PHONE NUMBER P.O. Box 772 Calipatria, CA 92233 760-455-0027 ENGINEER'S NAME CAL. LICENSE NO. **EMAIL ADDRESS** Precision Engineering & Surveying, Inc. PLS 9436 taylor@presurvinc.com MAILING ADDRESS ZIP CODE PHONE NUMBER P.O. Box 2216 El Centro, CA 760-353-2684 92244 PROPERTY (site) ADDRESS LOCATION O'brien Lateral Deliverles 956 & 958 O'brien Lateral Deliverles 956 & 958 ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NO. SIZE OF PROPERTY (in acres or square foot) 020-150-016 298.47.50 LEGAL DESCRIPTION (attach separate sheet if necessary) See attached list of legal descriptions EXPLAIN PURPOSE/REASON FOR MINOR SUBDIVISION Seperate two existing deliveries and two existing fields into two seperate legal parcels. for frust 135065 Proposed DIVISION of the above specified land is as follows: PARCEL | SIZE In acres **EXISTING USE** PROPOSED USE ZONE or sq. [epi 1 or A 143.20 AC Agriculture Agriculture **A-3** 2 or B 153.28 AC Agriculture Agriculture A-3 3 or C 24 4 or D PLEASE PROVIDE CLEAR & CONCISE INFORMATION (ATTACH SEPARATE SHEET IF NEEDED) DESCRIBE PROPOSED SEWER SYSTEM(s) None RECEIVED 11. **DESCRIBE PROPOSED WATER SYSTEM** None DESCRIBE PROPOSED ACCESS TO SUBDIVIDED LOTS 12. SEP 24 2020 Ruegger Road IS THIS PARCEL PLANNED TO BE ANNEXED? IF YES, TO WHAT CITY OF DISTRICT? IMPERIAL COUNTY ☐ Yes No No REQUIRED SUPPORT DOCUMENTS SERVICES I HEREBY APPLY FOR PERMISSION TO DIVIDE THE ABOVE SPECIFIED PROPERTY THAT I OWN CONTROL, AS PER ATTACHED INFORMATION, AND PER THE MAP ACT AND PER THE SUBDIVISION **ORDINANCE TENTATIVE MAP** I, CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS TRUE AND CORRECT. PRELIMINARY TITLE REPORT (6 months or newer) C. FEE 9-14-2020 Timothy Lloyd Allen Roy Kyle Allen Print Name (owner) **OTHER** TUNG Signature (owner Taylor Preece Special Note: An notatzed owners affidevit is required if application is algoed by Agent Print Name 9-18-2020 Signature (Agent) APPLICATION RECEIVED BY: 9/24/2020 HOR DATE REVIEW / APPROVAL BY APPLICATION DEEMED COMPLETE BY: OTHER DEPT'S required. DATE □ P. W. PM# D E.H.S APPLICATION REJECTED BY: DATE A.P.C.D. TENTATIVE HEARING BY: ☐ O. E. S. DATE FINAL ACTION: ☐ APPROVED DENIED DATE

Parcel Map #02490

O'brien Lateral Deliveries 956 & 958, Imperial County, CA

Project Description

The project is located in the southeast quadrant of Lack Road and Vail Road, south of the Vail Canal in the County of Imperial, California. The subject property is described as being portions of the Northeast Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, T.12S.,R.13E.,S.B.M. lying easterly of the new river and containing 298.46 Acres.

The reasoning behind the proposed parcel map is for family legal trust issues.

Proposed Parcel 1 will have legal and physical access from Lack Road. Proposed Parcel 2 will have legal and physical access from Lack Road through an easement across the North 20.00 feet of Proposed Parcel 1 shown on the tentative parcel map. Proposed Parcel 1 will continue to receive water from the O'brien Lateral Delivery 958 and will continue to drain west to the Thompson Drain. Proposed Parcel 2 will continue to receive water from the O'brien Lateral Delivery 956 and will continue to drain north to the Vail Drain. Both parcels will continue to be farmed in agriculture.

Neither of the proposed parcels drain onto any other parcels of land and are self contained.

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